



Committee and Date  
The Five Perry Parishes  
Local Joint Committee  
  
9<sup>th</sup> July 2013  
  
7.00 p.m.

Item/Paper

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Public

**NOTE OF DECISIONS AND ACTIONS ARISING FROM THE FIVE PERRY  
PARISHES LOCAL JOINT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 21<sup>ST</sup> MARCH 2013  
AT HORDLEY AND BAGLEY VILLAGE HALL, LOWER HORDLEY, ELLESMERE.**

**7.20 P.M. – 9.45 P.M.**

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**PRESENT:**

Members of the Committee:

Aggie Caesar-Homden	Shropshire Council (Ruyton and Baschurch Division)
Steve Charmley	Shropshire Council (Whittington Division)
David Curtis	West Felton Parish Council
Frank Beech	Hordley Parish Council
Greg Hickman	Whittington Parish Council
Roy Roberts	Baschurch Parish Council

Officers:

PC Crump	West Mercia Police
CSO Walmsley	West Mercia Police
Brian Welti	Shropshire Fire and Rescue Service
Corrie Davies	Community Action Officer, Shropshire Council
Shelley Davies	Committee Officer, Shropshire Council (Notes)

**There were approximately 12 members of the public at the meeting.**

**ACTION**

**1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS FROM THE CHAIRMAN**

The Chairman welcomed those present to the meeting and asked members of the Committee to introduce themselves.

**2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from:

- Simon Gittins - Ruyton-XI-Towns Parish Council
- Councillor Jean Duncan - Hordley Parish Council (Substitute Frank Beech)

**3. DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

None received.

**4. NOTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

It was **Resolved** that the notes of the meeting of The Five Perry Parishes Local Joint Committee held on 8<sup>th</sup> November 2012 be approved and signed as a correct record by the Chairman.

**5. NORTH AREA COMMISSIONER**

It was reported that the North Area Commissioner, Tim Smith was unable to attend due to prior commitment, but would attend a future LJC meeting.

**6. PREVIOUS FUNDED PROJECTS**

The Committee received project updates from the following groups that had previously received funding from the LJC:

- Boreatton Scouts
- Baschurch Junior Bowling Club
- Perry Riding School

The Chairman thanked all the groups for attending the meeting and noted that the group from West Felton Pre-school were unable to attend the meeting.

**7. SHROPSHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE**

The Chairman welcomed Brian Welti, Watch Manager at Baschurch Station, Shropshire Fire and Rescue Service to the meeting. Mr Welti provided information relating to incidents received since the last meeting. He also explained that Shropshire Fire and Rescue Service were running a number of campaigns in relation to fire safety including chimney fire prevention.

It was noted that Shropshire Fire and Rescue Service provided a free Home Fire Safety Visit to anyone who requested it. However, smoke alarms were only now available to those aged 75 and over and vulnerable people. Further information could be obtained by contacting Shropshire Fire and Rescue Service on (01743) 260200.

The Chairman thanked Mr Welti for his attendance.

**8. PARTNERS AND COMMUNITIES TOGETHER (PACT)**

The Chairman welcomed PC Crump and CSO Walmsley from West Mercia Police to the meeting.

PC Crump referred to queries raised at the last meeting in relation to incidents in Baschurch involving anti social behaviour and damage to property. He reported that he had worked with those responsible and the individuals had been involved in litter picking and repair work.

Responding to concerns in relation to traffic speeding through Baschurch it was noted that the Chairman, Councillor Caesar-Homden was looking into this with Shropshire Council.

PC Crump explained a force-wide initiative (Operation Citadel) aimed at driving down the number of burglaries committed in the West Mercia area and highlighted the importance of secure property marking using smartwater.

Concern was raised regarding mud on the road in the West Felton area. PC Crump agreed to pass this on to the local officer.

The Chairman thanked PC Crump and CSO Walmsley for their attendance.

## **9. SHROPSHIRE COMMUNITY DIRECTORY**

The Chairman introduced Kim Thompson-Lawrence, North Shropshire Care Information Provider from Oswestry Community Action.

Kim Thompson-Lawrence gave a demonstration of the Shropshire Community Directory. Kim highlighted that it was free for local groups to advertise on the directory and individuals could easily add themselves to the Directory.

The Chairman thanked Kim Thompson-Lawrence for her attendance.

## **10. ELECTIONS 2013**

The Chairman presented a report by the Shropshire Association of Local Council's (SALC). The report outlined the programme of work SALC was undertaking during the run up to the Shropshire Unitary, Town and Parish Council elections on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2013. The Committee noted the report.

## **11. SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL UPDATES**

### **(a) RURAL BROADBAND PROJECT**

A written update on the Connecting Shropshire Rural Broadband Project was circulated.

Queries were raised in relation to broadband provision in Baschurch and it was agreed that an update would be obtained for the next meeting.

### **(b) SCRUTINY AT SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL**

A briefing note providing an overview of the role of Scrutiny at Shropshire Council was circulated. The Committee noted the briefing note.

The Chairman noted that a review in relation to Scrutiny had taken place and recommendations would be reported to Council shortly.

**12. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**

No questions were received.

**13. THE FIVE PERRY PARISHES LOCAL JOINT COMMITTEE BUDGET AND FUNDING APPLICATIONS**

The Committee received the report of the Community Action Officer, which detailed the bids received for the third round of funding to be considered by the Five Perry Parishes Local Joint Committee.

The Chairman invited those applicants in attendance to present their funding applications to everyone present. The Committee were asked if they had any further comments to make prior to them voting on each application.

Agreed:

That the LJC approves the following funding applications as detailed:

7.18 Ruyton Xi Towns Broadplace - £500

7.19 Baschurch Heartbeat Scheme Phase 2 - £1084

7.20 Ruyton Xi Towns Village Hall - Application deferred for further information

7.21 Baschurch Creaky Chairs Group - £302.70

7.22 Perry Riding School - £485

7.23 Heritage Open Days (Cluster Application) - £500

7.24 Geodesic Dome for 'HeartWork' Enterprise - Not Approved

7.25 Oswestry & Surrounding Area Association for the Elderly – Tea Dances (Cluster application) - Not Approved

7.26 The Corbet Secondary- Safety & Signage Project - £1250

Total - £4121.70

It was agreed that the remaining balance be ring-fenced for Whittington Youth Leisure Facility and Baschurch Skate & BMX track.

The Community Action Officer noted that the deadline for the next round of funding was 7<sup>th</sup> June 2013.

#### **14. LOCAL NEWS AND INFORMATION**

Corrie Davies, Community Action Officer, provided an update on the following:

- CLP work at West Felton and related funding
- Be Healthy, Be Active, Sleep Well Project
- North Shropshire and Oswestry Visitor Economy Strategy
- Montgomery Canal Triathlon
- Whittington Chamber Music Festival
- Shropshire Council Consultations
- Sport England, People's Postcode and external funding Streams

#### **15. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

It was noted that the next meeting of The Five Perry Parishes Local Joint Committee would be held on Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> July 2013 at 7.00 p.m. – venue to be confirmed.

Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_